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DEPARTMENT PLEASE PASS EXIM

E.O. 11652: NA
TAGS: EFIN, TU
SUBJECT: EXIMBANK PC 3802A FOR GM LOCOMOTIVES

REF: STATE 213404

1. EMBASSY BELIEVES GOT SHOULD BE NOTIFIED PROMPTLY OF
EXIM ACTION TO DEFER SUBJECT PC AND BY MEANS OF STRAIGHT-
FORWARD BUT CAREFULLY DRAFTED LETTER (PREFERABLY NOT TELEX)
TO AYGUN, TO WHOM PREVIOUS EXIM COMMUNICATIONS ON THIS CASE
HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED. LETTER SHOULD STRESS FACT THAT DECISION
MADE ON PURELY COMMERCIAL GROUNDS AND SHOULD INCLUDE SPECIFIC
SUMMARY LISTING OF ARREARAGES AND DELINQUENCIES, IF FEASIBLE, MEM-
TIONED IN REFTEL. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE HAVING INFO COPY,
AND WE ASSUME COPY WOULD ALSO BE MADE AVAILABLE TO TURKISH
EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON.

2. OUR CHIEF CONCERN IN MAKING THIS RECOMMENDATION IS THAT
SPECIAL PAINS BE TAKEN TO AVOID PROVIDING SUPPORT
TO WIDESPREAD OPINION IN TURKISH OFFICIAL, AND
APPARENTLY EVEN PRIVATE BUSINESS, CIRCLES THAT US IS
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APPLYING ECONOMIC PRESSURE ON TURKS FOR POLITICAL ENDS.
IT IS FOR THIS REASON THAT WE SUGGEST LETTER BE AS
UNAMBIGUOUS AS POSSIBLE AS TO BASIS FOR EXIM DECISION.

3. WE ALSO HAVE RESERVATIONS AS TO CONTRIBUTION THIS
WILL MAKE TO CLEARING UP ARREARAGES AND DELINQUENCIES. TURKS,
THOUGH PERHAPS RELUCTANT TO ACKNOWLEDGE FACT TO US, KNOW

DAMAGE THESE CASES ARE CAUSING AND, WE BELIEVE, MAY RESENT REMINDERS OF THEIR PRESENT FOREIGN EXCHANGE SHORTAGE, WHICH IS NOT DISCRETIONARY. WE NEVERTHELESS AGREE THAT EXIM SHOULD MAKE ITS POINT FOR THE RECORD.

4. CONCERNING REFERENCE IN PARA 5 REFTEL TO NEED FOR GOT TO APPRAOCH IMF, FUND TEAM ARRIVED IN TURKEY SEPTEMBER 6 AT TURKISH INVITATION AND IS CURRENTLY ENGAGED IN WHAT WE UNDERSTAND IS SERIES OF FACT-FINDING MEETINGS WITHIN TURKISH GOVERNMENT AS A PRELIMINARY TO DISCUSSIONS REGARDING CONDITIONS FOR BOP ASSISTANCE TO TURKEY EXPECTED TO TAKE PLACE IN WASHINGTON IN CONNECTION WITH IMF/IBRD MEETINGS THIS MONTH AND IN ANKARA WHEN A SECOND IMF TEAM ARRIVES IN EARLY OCTOBER. SPIERS

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